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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **KIRA, et al.**

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Examiner: **David E. GRAYBILL**

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For. **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR FABRICATING A SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE**

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: October 13, 2006

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Final Office Action dated **June 14, 2006** for one month, from **September 14, 2006** to **October 14, 2006**.

Attached is a check including the amount of \$120.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

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